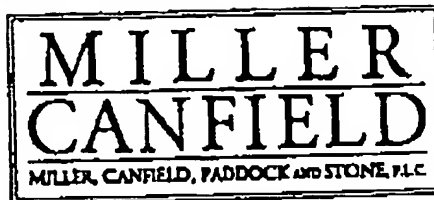


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Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed on Nov. 13, 2004 in the
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Please amend the Specification as follows:

On page 3, line 5, after the words "low cost" insert: axle assembly.